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PATENT 4001-1220

## IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Robert GREINER et al. Conf. 3850

Application No. 10/582,215 Group 1794

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METAL/PLASTIC HYBRID AND SHAPED BODY PRODUCED THEREFROM

## AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 9, 2008

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action of April 9, 2008, the period for response having been extended by two months to September 9, 2008, by Petition for Extension of Time, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.